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NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

Scathing Denunciation of the Volunteer Militia of Montreal by a Divine.

Mr Joly de Lotbiniere Not a Candidate for Leadership in Quebec House.

Quebec, Nov. 14.—To a Free Press reporter Mr. Joly de Lotbiniere denied this morning that he was a candidate for the Quebec opposition leadership.

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 14.—John Roberts, lighthouse keeper at Belledune, Gloucester county, was drowned last night. When he reached an angle in the road he neglected to turn and went straight down into the Belledune river. The horse which he was driving was also drowned. The man was asleep.

Montreal, Nov. 14.—Rev. W. D. Reid, Presbyterian minister at Point Saint Charles, denounced from the pulpit on Sunday morning the volunteer militia as being the ruin of young men. He said that in many instances after drill was over an adjournment was made to saloons in close proximity to the drill hall, where the officers treated their men to that which intoxicates. Although not present in the body the officers were evidently there in spirit. They were ashamed to go into these low saloons themselves, but they generally deputize the senior sergeant to represent them. The reverend gentlemen said young men in his congregation had been ruined by joining the volunteers.

THE GOLDEN STATE.

News From San Francisco and Other Parts of California.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—The local branch of the American union has issued an appeal to the people of the state of California for funds to assist it in defending the members of the union who are now being tried in the United States district court in this city for offences during the recent strike.

R. C. Batchellor, of the Pneumatic Torpedo and Construction company of New York, which is under contract with the government to furnish three pneumatic guns for the fortifications at Fort point, this city, has arrived to arrange for the platforms for the guns and the power house. Two of the guns are finished and the third has been commenced.

The marriage of Miss Anna Head, daughter of A. E. Head, the well known capitalist, to A. J. M. Jepsen, the distinguished young lieutenant of the second Stanley expedition, is to be celebrated in this city in a few weeks.

A party of about sixty persons, representing various lodges of the A. P. A., were attacked by a crowd at Vallejo about midnight on Monday while on their way to a tug to return to this city. The party had reached the tug when the assault was commenced, stones and other missiles being thrown. As the tug moved away revolvers were fired, and bullets flew thick and fast until the tug was out of range, but fortunately no one was hurt.

M. Stein, who is to be relieved from the position of general manager and superintendent of the Market Street Railway Company, the Consolidated S. P. street car lines, will be succeeded by E. P. Vinning, late chairman of the transcontinental association.

A gang of tramps raided the little town of Azusa, about 23 miles east of Pasadena and terrorized the place. The tramps took possession of all the saloons and burglarized several business houses. They carried much stock from the saloons, though the amount of the booty obtained is not known. The gang succeeded in getting away from the place unmolested and scattered, but the officers are on their tracks.

G. A. Burr, a San Francisco merchant, was thrown from a wagon in San Jose last night and instantly killed. He was about 40 years of age.

Toronto, Nov. 14.—The Moody meeting this evening is for people who are not in the habit of attending church or religious gatherings of any kind. Moody urges the ticket distributors to see to it that the bar rooms are especially looked after. Moody says he expects more good to be done to-night and to-morow than at all the other gatherings of the week.

Montreal, Nov. 14.—Since Sunday scarlet fever and diphtheria have suddenly become epidemic here and were declared so at the meeting of the civic health board to-day. The outbreak is of a sporadic nature. An attempt is being made to bring large quantities of antitoxine here. Seventeen cases of scarlet fever and diphtheria are known to exist in the Protestant infants' home and in the foundling home there are 12 cases. There have been five deaths. The Catholic institutions have not yet been heard from, but a number of cases are reported in the northeast portion of the city.

Your correspondent this morning showed Vice-President Shaughnessy of the C. P. R. a dispatch from San Francisco stating that the Peru had brought eastern advices that the captain of the Empress of China had offered to take a hand in the Japanese-Chinese war and would ship the guns from the C. P. R. storehouse at Yokohama. Mr. Shaughnessy said that the report was a yarn pure and simple, and that the captain had no such powers as the dispatch purported to assign to him.

Montreal, Nov. 14.—The half-yearly statement of the Bank of Montreal to Oct 31st, was issued to-day. The balance of profits and loss to April 30th, 1894, was $804,715.33; profits for half-year to Oct. 31, after deducting charges for management and making full provision for bad and doubtful debts, is $604,862.10. A dividend of 5 per cent. is declared, which amounts to $600,000. The balance of profit and loss carried forward is therefore $809,577.63.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Opinion Respecting Finding of the Commission on the Strike.

Senator Sherman repudiated certain statements contained in a recently published interview with a New York paper reflecting on McKinley. Sherman says he did not say one word against McKinley or the McKinley act, and adds: "For myself, I would gladly vote for him as my party's candidate for President."

Secretary of Education and Labor Duncan, commenting on the report of the United States railway strike commission says the recommendation to create, practically, an arbitration commission, is good, provided it can be made as operative upon employers and corporations as on working people. He thinks, however, that the days of strikes are over, and working men will depend more on their votes to secure their aims.

The annual conference of the Unitarian and other Christian churches of the Middle States and Canada, began its business session at Baltimore to-day.

A Houghton, Mich., special says, a steamer was seen on Keeweenaw Bay, Thursday morning, in flames.

Whitewayites Win.

St. Johns' Nfld., Nov. 14.—The Whitewayites won the seats in Placentia, giving them a majority of five over the Goodridge government. Returns from St. George are expected to further increase the majority by one.

Brief Locals.

—Meeting of the Sons of Erin to-night.

—Loyal Dauntless lodge, C. O. O. F., gave an entertainment in Foresters' hall, Douglas street, last night. There was a good attendance.

—The sum of $480 was realized by the Catholic church bazaar held yesterday. A fine photograph of the Rev. Joseph Nicolaye was raffled and was won by Mr. Merlin.

—One of the circuits of the fire alarm system broke down this morning. The breakage has not yet been found. A number of men have been working all day trying to locate it.

—The minstrel show next week promises to be the great attraction of the winter. Everybody is talking about it, and a lot of people will not rest easy until they hear the "gags" for fear they are included. There are going to be a lot of hits on local people and fat men and lean men, officials, and other victims of the minstrel end men will receive attention.

—Magistrate Macrae rendered his opinion to-day in the case of Marymont, charged by the Dominion customs with smuggling sixteen watches in from Port Angeles. He found the accused guilty and fined him $50, which is the minimum penalty. The court in passing sentence said that he was surprised at the accused believing that his defence that he did not know goods traded for were dutiable would be accepted by the court.

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LATE CABLE DISPATCHES.

The Pope Again Asked to Condemn Some of the American Labor Unions.

Revival of the Scheme for the Federation of the Australian Colonies.

London, Nov. 14.—Argument upon the order for winding up the affairs of the Beaver line steamship company of Canada was adjourned yesterday in order to give time for the liquidator appointed in Canada to be represented.

A Frenchman named Eugeen has been arrested in Toulon, charged with having murdered and robbed a priest in a London lodging house. He was impersonating the priest when arrested. The body of the priest was found hanging to the bed post. Eugeen has confessed.

London, Nov. 14.—The subscriptions lists of the Quebec loan closed this morning. The figures are not yet obtainable.

The pope has again been requested to condemn certain workingmen's associations in the United States, but he refuses to interfere in the matter further than make the reference to the associations complained of, in his coming encyclical letter.

The New South Wales Assembly today adopted a motion setting forth that it is desirable that negotiations looking to Australian confederation shall be resumed.

A boarding house in Elberfeld, Prussia, was burned last night. Seven occupants were burned to death and several others are missing.

The Queen arrived at Windsor Castle this morning in excellent health.

The storms which have been raging through England, the channel and the North sea since Monday continue unabated. The bark Leif, belonging to Drammen, Norway, has been wrecked at Dover and three of the crew drowned. Other cases of drowning are reported from different places.

RUSSIAN CHANGES.

Several Ministers to Hand in Their Resignations.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—The Cologne Gazette's St. Petersburg correspondent says: Foreign Minister De Giers, Gen. Vannovsky, minister of war, General Gourko, military governor of Warsaw and the military governors of Moscow and Vilna will shortly tender their resignations to the czar. The correspondent also says it is expected the czarina will accompany her father, King Christian of Denmark, after the obsequies of her husband. Until the funeral takes place two requiem services will take place daily, one at 11 o'clock in the morning at which the czar alone will be present and the other at 7 o'clock in the evening which the entire imperial family will attend.

POLICE INVESTIGATION.

Election Frauds Startle the People of the Windy City.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—The Chief of Police yesterday dismissed thirty police for neglect of duty on election day. Besides these eleven officers are under suspicion for failure to arrest those who killed Collainder. The council has offered a reward of $500 for the arrest of the ballot-box raiders, but all have so far kept under cover. It is charged that the men must have escaped by the connivance of the police. Determined efforts are being made to hunt down and punish the murderers of Gus Collainder and all those who disturbed the police and violated the law on election day. Three great organizations, the Marquette club, the Union League and the Civic Federation will co-operate in the work. A fund of $30,000 to defray the expenses of the investigation will be raised.

CAPTAIN LEE'S TROUBLES.

Cast Into Prison at Callao, but Luckily Escapes with His Life.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 14.—Captain Lee, of the bark Templar, has returned from Callao. His vessel was seized down there and he himself cast into prison. He now considers that he was lucky to escape with his life. When the Templar arrived in Peru the trouble began and culminated in a quarrel in the United States consulate. Lee wanted to ship a crew before the consul. The latter objected to certain things the skipper had done and refused to sign them. The Peruvian government then stepped in and seized the bark. Lee was cast into prison and remained there for a time. He came up to Callao from Panama and is now busily engaged in forwarding a petition to Washington and is also preparing to bring suit against the Peruvian government.

The Eastern War.

Shanghai, Nov. 14.—In accordance with the demand of the British government the forts at Taku this morning saluted the British steamship Chung King, which was boarded by Chinese soldiers last August. The Chinese government will also degrade the Taotai of Shenz who is responsible for the outrage and apologize.

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THE WAR IN THE EAST

Capture of Chui Lien by the Japanese and the Retreat of Chinese Forces.

Yamagota's Wonderful Military Enterprise in Driving Enemy Before Him.

Tokio, Oct. 30.—(Per steamer Peru.)—The second Japanese army of 22,000 men, under command of General Count Oyama, began to land on the Liau Tong peninsula on the early morning of October 24. The big flotilla of fifty odd steamers carrying this corps, together with the powerful escort of ships of war, had left the inland sea of Japan on the 19th and covered the distance of nine hundred miles in four days. General Nodzu took up quarters in a farmer's house near Chui Lien. During the night a constant cannonade from Chui Lien was kept up. No damage was done. On the contrary, the Chinese, seeing their line of retreat was threatened, fled before dawn, and when at 8 a. m. the Japanese marched into Chui Lien they found the place deserted, the only indications of the enemy's occupation being 22 guns and quantities of ammunition, stores and baggage. The Chinese, following the precedent established by them at Asan and at Phyong Yang, concluded that they had had enough of fighting when their outworks were captured and did not wait to defend their positions. The casualties on the 25th were three hundred killed and wounded. The Japanese had thirty killed and wounded. From the inhabitants of Chui Lien it was learned that 43 regiments had been in its defence, numbering 17,000 to 19,000 men. They were not undisciplined, ill equipped coolies, but well armed troops from Talien Wan, Port Arthur and Lui Tien.

A third army is now assembling at Hiroshima. It will consist of 24,000, and its commander will be Lieut.-General Takashima, from the office of the secretary of state for war. The destination of this army is of course kept secret. Japan will then have a total of 71,000 men invading China. It is a remarkable exhibiton of military enterprise that Yamagata has shown in driving his enemies before him. China has been threatening much but accomplishing little. They blame Li, who is said to be responsible for the futility of their attempts. His proposals always lag behind the course of events. What Japan might have agreed to a month ago naturally looks too small to-day when measured by her recent successes.

In 1860, when the Anglo-French expedition marched against Pekin, the Liau Tong peninsula was seized as a base of operations, a landing being effected in Talien bay, which lies on the east of the peninsula, some thirty miles from Port Arthur. There were no Chinese fortifications on the peninsula in those days, nor was there any Chinese navy. The Pei Yang squadron includes protected cruisers, a dockyard and a tidal basin at Port Arthur and twelve forts armed with powerful artillery that commands the approach. Add to this important naval station the Pechili army, skilled in modern tactics and equipped with modern weapons. All these things had no existence at that time. Hence the seizure of the peninsula entailed no costly efforts. But the conditions are very different now. The Chinese, anticipating the possibility of a Japanese attack, made preparations to obstruct the landing in Talien bay and had placed a powerful force in the peninsula. The Japanese force consequently avoided Talien and steamed into a snug little cove farther north. Its position cannot be fixed by reference to any ordinary atlas, but may be determined with sufficient accuracy by carrying an east-northeast line from the town of Chinchiu to the coast. The Chinese are always unprepared for anything except what they have made up their minds to expect. They had determined that the Japanese, if they came at all, should come to Talien, and since the invaders chose another place there was no help for it. The landing commenced at dawn totally unopposed. Five hundred flat-bottomed boats were soon busily engaged transporting troops to shore, while the engineer corps set to work constructing piers to facilitate the debarkation of material.

There had evidently been some idea on the part of the Chinese that the place ought not to be fortified, for sixteen junks laden with timber and rifled mortars were found in the cove and taken possession of by the Japanese. Telegraph intelligence up to date goes no further than the above. There is an overland wire from Port Arthur to Shanghai via Tientsin, but it has, of course, been cut by the invading army, and the result is that intelligence has to be carried by steamer across the Yellow sea to Chemulpo, whence it is telegraphed to Tokio.

Where is the Pei Yang squadron? In the opening chapters of the war its commander, Admiral Ting, seemed to think more of the safety of his ships than of their use as national defenders. He kept them carefully hidden away under the shadow of the heavily armed forts and took every precaution to avoid an encounter with the enemy. But now the opportunity for which the Pei Yang squadron was supposed to be reserving its immense strength has come, and still Admiral Ting's ships remain conspicuous by their absence.

The fact is that the Pei Yang squadron is temporarily crippled, and the Japanese know it. People who cling fondly to the belief that the huge Celestial empire possesses somewhere an immense fund of latent strength have sought to prove that the naval battle of September 17th ended in a draw, and that the nine surviving Chinese vessels are not injured beyond the possibility of speedy repair. However that may be, the battle certainly eliminated the Pei Yang squadron from the arena of active operations. The Japanese cruisers have roamed at will throughout the Gulf of Pichili and the Yellow sea, and Admiral Ting's ships have totally failed to defend their country at the critical moment. On the morning of October 24th the Japanese army in Corea commenced its final operations for the passage of the Yalu river and the invasion of Manchuria. Confronted by a strong force of Chinese so well supplied with cavalry that flanking or concentrative movements could be accomplished quickly and effectively, Field Marshal Yamagata deployed his troops along the wide stretch of the Yalu so as to mask his point of passage and obtain commanding positions for his wings.

It is true that the Chinese have not hitherto proved themselves capable of much strategy by good generalship, but generalship is never thrown away however feeble the foe. Wi-Ju, on the banks of the Yalu, the most important town in northern Corea, was the Japanese headquarters. It had been occupied until a few days previously by a force of 2500 Chinese, who fled at the approach of the Japanese advance guard. A little below the Wi-Ju the Yalu receives a tributary—the Ai—the two rivers forming a V, with its point down stream. Across the arms of the V the main road from Wi-Ju to Chiu Lien passes, and the space within the opening of the arms on the right of the road rises to an eminence called Hu Shan. Chiu Lien being a stronghold of importance has to be reduced by the force invading Manchuria, but from the topographical details here given it will be seen that to reach Chiu Lieu from Wi-Ju troops must first cross the Yalu, then follow the road commanded from Hu Shan, and finally cross the Ai. The Chinese generals appreciated the features of position sufficiently to entrench Hu Shan, to occupy it with a force of some seven thousand men and construct several forts on its slopes firing up the stream. At dawn on October 24 a brigade of Japanese troops under Colonel Sato forded the Yalu ten miles above Wi-Ju unopposed, and marching down on the other side came at about noon to one of the Chinese forts. It was garrisoned by five hundred cavalry and one hundred infantry, with two guns.

After a brief contest, in which two of the Chinese were killed, they evacuated the fort, abandoning their two guns to their assailants, who had no casualties. Colonel Sato then pushed on and took a position on the northwestern rear of Hu Shan. That night the Japanese put a bridge across the Yalu, and the following morning before dawn the main body of the army passed the river, nearly half a mile wide, and immediately moved to the attack of Hu Shan. At first the Chinese stood their ground stoutly, but finding themselves presently exposed to the plunging fire of rifles and cannons from a hill on their right flank, they broke and fled in disorder across the Yalu to Chiu Lien. The reserves, however, advanced to the defence with every appearance of resolution, and aided by the natural strength of their position might have inflicted heavy loss upon their assailants had they not been surprised by an attack on their left rear from a brigade under Major-General Tachimi. Thereupon they also beat a retreat, but were so hard pursued that they failed to carry off their artillery, and ten guns fell into the hands of the Japanese. The invading army now crossed the Ai, two divisions parting on the east and south of Chiu Lien, while the brigades of Major-General Tachimi and Colonel Sato took up a position further north, directly threatening the main road passing northward from Chiu Lien.

GROUNDING OF THE ADAMS.

Lieut. Morton Found Guilty of an Error in Judgment.

Washington, Nov. 13.—In the matter of the grounding of the cruiser Adams in the Behring Sea, the record and findings in the court martial case of Lieut. C. F. Morton, executive officer of that vessel, tried for the accident, have just reached the navy department. The court, it is understood, found him guilty of an error of judgment and sentenced him to be reprimanded by the Secretary of the Navy. The Adams, it will be remembered, grounded on one of the Pribyloff Islands early in August, but suffered no severe injury. The record and finding in the case of Lieut. W. P. Elliott, the navigator of the Adams, have not reached the department.

ANTI-PARNELLITES MEET.

Justified in Receiving Mr. Gladstone's and Lord Tweedmouth's checks.

Dublin, Nov. 13.—The Anti-Parnellites met yesterday with their leader, Justin McCarthy in the chair. They declared that the acceptance of Mr. Gladstone's and Lord Tweedmouth's celebrated checks was justified as these contributions to the Irish cause were made spontaneously. The begging circular, the meeting resolved, was not a party matter, as the party was not responsible for it. The circular had been sent out, the resolution added, through the blunder of a clerk. The meeting deprecated newspaper discussions of penny differences circulated to injure the Irish cause. Before the debate on the checks was closed, a resolution protesting the acceptance of them was proposed and rejected. The meeting declared that it was the Liberal party's paramount duty to secure the autonomy of Ireland and to observe faithfully its pledges in this respect. Such observance would be the sole guarantee of the continuation of the alliance between the Irish and the Liberals.

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SOUTHERN REBELLIONS.

Rebel Brazilian Chief Defeated at Lima.

New York, Nov. 14.—A morning paper publishes the following: Montevideo, Nov. 13.—Advices from Rio Grande do Sul says that the Brazilian rebel chief Salgado was defeated at Lima in a battle lasting nine hours. The government loss is said to be 181 killed and the rebel loss 63. Some of the rebels captured by the government troops were shot while the government soldiers captured by the rebels were given the option of death or enlisting under the rebel flag. All decided to enlist.

Buenos Ayres, Nov. 12.—The rebel admiral Mello says that if President Peixoto is given command of the Brazilian army after the inauguration of President Motis he will endeavor to continue the revolution. The revolutionists are in a better shape pecuniarily now that ever. Reports from all over Brazil report the people are for revolt.

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PROVINCIAL ACCOUNTS.

An Increase in the General Expenditure and Decrease in the Revenue.

Revenue by Districts as Compared With the Previous Fiscal Year.

The public accounts for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1894, were presented to the legislature yesterday. The net revenue is $197,546 less than the previous year, while there is an increase in the expenditure of $82,967. The details of the expenditure, which are too numerous to be published, make very interesting reading. The appropriation for advertising was $7500 and the expenditure was $11,912.65, of which amount the Times was paid $2. Besides the $11,912.65, there was a large amount expended for advertising voters' lists, and the government organs also got a share of the printing, the printing office account being charged with work done in outside offices. On the whole, the government papers did very well just previous to the last general elections.

EXPENDITURE.

Public Debt—		
Interest	130,090 37	
Sinking fund	79,692 79	
Premium and exchange	3,968 49	
Discount and commission	73,586 32	
Expenses incidental to floating Parliament Buildings Loan, 1893	1,341 47	
Expenses in connection with Consolidation of the Public Debt "Loan Act, 1891"	705 44	
		289,384 95
Civic Government (Salaries)—		
Lieut.-Gov.'s office	1,500 00	
Premier of Province	1,000 00	
Prov. Sec.'s Dept.	25,881 14	
Finance, Ag'l Depart	15,160 00	
Lands Works Dept.	21,340 60	
Attorney-General	10,450 00	
Land R'y Office, Vic	12,600 00	
do. N. W.	8,670 00	
do. Va'r	9,420 00	
do. Yale D	3,720 00	
Regis'tion of Vote's,	425 00	
Asylum for Insane	12,880 00	
Revenue Services	10,200 00	
Assay offices and Reduction Works.	1,775 00	
Prov. Timber Insp'n	2,280 00	
Provincial Museum.	1,800 00	
Inspector of Animals (Contagious Diseases Act)	1,500 00	
Inspec'r Fruit Pests	1,440 00	
Bureau of Labor Statistics	2,237 92	
Provincial Librarian	1,092 50	
Tem'y Dept'l Assis'e	5,145 11	
		150,066 67
Administration of Justice (Salaries)—		
Supreme and County Courts	21,700 00	
Sheriffs	3,693 70	
Stipen'y Magistrates	2,473 54	
Supt'e Police, Goals.	5,580 00	
Juvenile R'y, Vic...	1,080 00	
Police, Gaols, Vic...	6,770 00	
do. Esqu'lt.	840 00	
do. N. W. City	11,800 00	
do. do. Dist.	840 00	
do. E. K. Dist	7,500 00	
do. W. K. Dist	11,088 50	
do. Cariboo Dt.	5,807 32	
do. Cassiar D't	5,205 00	
do. Yale, Ash't	2,280 00	
do. Kamloops	6,180 00	
do. Okanagan	4,166 00	
do. Similkameen, Osoy's	3,120 00	
do. Nanaimo	9,900 00	
do. do. dist	2,160 00	
do. Cowichan d	2,220 00	
do. Comox d.	2,880 00	
do. Alberni d.	600 00	
do. Lillooet d.	3,100 00	
		120,124 66
Legislation—		
Speaker, Clerks, Etc.	2,837 50	
Indemnity to Mem'r.	19,656 00	
Mileage	3,080 00	
Registration of voters		
Rev'n—Voters' L...	17,534 82	
Expenses Elections..	374 75	
Contingent Fund....	2,856 42	
Journals, Stat. bind'g	1,080 35	
		48,019 84
Public Institutions (Maintenance)—		
Printing office, Vic..	8,578 94	
Assay offices	706 26	
Provincial Museum	1,948 02	
Asylum Insane N. W	13,896 09	
		25,129 31
Hospitals and Charities—		
Prov'l Jubilee Hos'l	8,000 00	
do. (conditionally Victoria city contribu's not less $2,000)	2,000 00	
Hospital, N. W.	4,000 00	
do. Cariboo	4,000 00	
do. Nanaimo	4,000 00	
do. Kamloops	3,000 00	
do. Vancouver	5,000 00	
do. "Alexandra," Vancouver	1,000 00	
do. East Kootenay	2,000 00	
do. Nelson (cond'ly residents con'bute not less $1,500).	2,000 00	
do. Union, Comox.	500 00	
Hosp'l al'nce, Fort S	500 00	
In aid of destitute,		
Refuge Home, Vic..	1,000 00	
poor and sick	3,600 17	
do. resident phy'n Clinton	1,000 00	
do. Nicola	750 00	
do. Okanagan	300 00	
do. Alberni	486 00	
do. L'r Cariboo d	700 00	
do. For Siccle.	500 00	
do. Comox	92 30	
		73,415 01
Administration of Justice (Other than Sal's).		
Summoning, paying jurors, witness's...	17,788 04	
Prosecution, Interp's.	2,402 10	
Expenses of Inqu'ts.	2,717 75	
Crim'l punishm's...	210 97	
Rewards	2,000 00	
Keep of prisoners	16,509 27	
Rents	564 00	
Special constables...	13,449 56	
Transport of constables and prisoners	16,586 30	
Miscellaneous	2,187 02	
		73,415 01
Education—		
Education office	11,163 39	
Victoria city dist...	16,237 34	
Vancouver city dist.	14,696 84	
New West'r city dist	5,913 50	
Nanaimo city dist...	5,301 44	
Victoria dist.	8,070 00	
Esquimalt dist.	4,825 58	
Cowichan dist	6,087 75	
Islands dist.	3,900 00	
Nanaimo dist.	13,674 19	
Alberni dist.	1,100 00	
Comox dist.	5,322 72	
New Westmin'r dist.	30,906 50	
Yale dist.	21,799 58	
West Kootenay dist.	3,634 00	
East Kootenay dist.	2,112 00	
Lillooet district	2,145 35	
Cariboo district	2,300 00	
Cassiar district	800 00	
		169,050 18
Transport—		
Charges remittances.	250 99	
Traveling expenses of officers on duty.	9,661 88	
Keep of horses	66 35	
		9,979 22
Rent—		
Government House, Victoria (lease of grounds	48 50	
		48 50
Revenue Services—		
Commission, courts of appeal, traveling expenses, miscel's.	9,826 17	
		9,826 17
Public Works (Works and Buildings)—		
Repairs to Government Buildings,		
Victoria	1,882 17	
do. Nanaimo	130 77	
do. Yale district	526 15	
do. Lillooet dist.	206 02	
do. Cariboo dist.	198 57	
do. E. Kootenay d.	58 30	
do. W. Kootenay d	484 31	
do. Cowichan	5 25	
Gaol at Victoria (repairs)	983 22	
do. Nanaimo con'n	20,999 75	
Asylum for the Insane (sundry requirements)	802 20	
Court House, Vancouver (construction and furniture.	40,776 23	
do. Nelson, do.	8,698 45	
do. Fort Simp'n, do	600 00	
do. Vernon	300 28	
do. and lock-up, Spence's Bridge (construc'n and furniture)	467 78	
do. N. West'n (enlarge't of vault, repairs, and improvement of grounds)	2,398 43	
Recorder's office, W. Kootenay	1,499 39	
do. Osoyoos	390 60	
L. R. office, Kamloops constr'n, furniture)	3,490 53	
Lock-up, Kaslo	1,000 00	
Gaol, N. W. (repairs)	995 16	
Lock-up, N. Bend...	500 00	
do. Northfield	497 65	
Prov'l home for destitute persons (construction)	15,000 00	
Furniture for Govt. offices	4,513 26	
Improvem't of Govt. reserves	856 12	
Insurance of Govt. buildings	2,945 00	
Public school, South Vancou'r (construction and furniture)	1,498 50	
do. Ducks do.	800 00	
do. Kaslo do.	1,500 00	
do. Malahat do.	769 53	
do. English do.	798 00	
do. Glenvally do.	622 00	
do. Clover V'y do.	1,181 80	
do. Kelowna do.	995 93	
do. Armstrong do.	968 00	
do. Strawb'y V. do.	644 00	
do. Ferndale do.	595 00	
do. Bowen I's	667 00	
do. Burnaby do.	1,420 90	
do. Highland do.	795 00	
do. Vernon do.	5,565 80	
do. Ladner do.	892 74	
do. N. Nicomin do.	669 00	
do. Dound Prairia..	100 00	
		700 00
do. throughout the province furniture, rep's, etc.)	4,008 68	
Hospital, Barkerville (completion)	380 69	
Lock-up, Nelson, W. Koote'y (construc'n)	120 00	
Public school, Chilliwack (construction and furniture)	884 50	
Grohman can'l (rep's)	2,500 00	
Public school Okanagan (addition, fencing grounds, etc.).	744 95	
		140,570 63
New Parliamnt Buildings, Victoria (construction)		55,954 13
Public Works (Government House, Victoria)—		
Repairs to Buildings	2,263 91	
Furniture	1,452,21	
Fuel and light	1,150 80	
Water	97 10	
Improving grounds.	148 15	
Gardner	600 00	
Miscellaneous	69 24	
		5,781 41
Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves)—		
Victoria District...	10,145 46	
Esquimalt district..	9,026 49	
Cowichan district...	7,961 44	
Cowichan - Alberni Trail	693 40	
Islands district	4,089 38	
Nanaimo district....	7,554 91	
Alberni district....	4,830 73	
Comox district.....	12,582 59	
N Westminster district	24,999 22	
Yale district.....	27,474 17	
Lillooet district.....	8,169 88	
Cariboo district.....	7,096 60	
Road to Horsefly mines	5,997 34	
Cassiar district....	2,795 93	
E Kootenay district.	13'068 42	
W Kootenay district	35,236 28	
Main Trunk road...	27,936 29	
Victoria-Nanaimo do.	350 00	
Granite Creek road.	1,867 21	
Nanaimo - Alberni Trunk road	3,178 70	
Road to Forks of Quesnelle	1,419 45	
Bridge, Forks of Quesnelle	4,567 06	
Knight's Inlet-Chilcotin trail	422 07	
Road, Okanagan to Boundary Creek..	19,984 01	
Wharf at Penticton.	2,519 79	
do. at New Denver.	914 07	
Soda Creek ferry subsidy	300 00	
Chimney Creek do.	600 00	
Canoe Creek do.	600 00	
Thompson river do.	500 00	
Big Bar do.	300 00	
Bridge, north arm of Fraser river (aid of construction)	5000 00	
Wild Horse Creek road	1,000 00	
Kaslo Wagon road..	4,946 81	
Mount Benson road.	1,490 86	
Trail to mines, Alberni	198 45	
Bull river bridge....	1,125 91	
Road, Chilcotin to Cherry Creek	1,500 00	
		262,478 77
Public Works (Surveys)—		
Surveys throughout the province		55,803 21
Miscellaneous—		
Advertising	11,912 65	
Stationery	12,528 12	
Postage	5,573 43	
Telegrams	2,597 05	
Fuel and light	6,576 31	
Library— Legislative and Departmental.	1,746 28	
Library — Attorney-General's dept.	404 45	
Refunds	2,300 32	
Premium on guarantee bonds	1,298 68	
Fire Dept, Victoria..	500 00	
do. Nanaimo	500 00	
do. New Westminster	500 00	
do. Vancouver	500 00	
do. Barkerville	500 00	
do. Kamloops	500 00	
do. Nelson	250 00	
do. Revelstoke	250 00	
Reporting Judges' decisions	600 00	
Agricultural societies	2,600 00	
Fruit Growers' association	1,000 00	
Telephone service...	1,422 10	
B. C. Agricultural Association (in aid of an exhibition).	1000 00	
Royal Agricultural & Industrial Society of B. C. (in aid of an exhibition)	1000 00	

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Dated at Victoria this 5th day of November, 1894.

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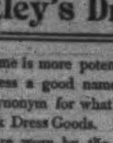

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

Liberal Meeting

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J. T. BETHUNE,
Secretary.

The Daily Times.

MR. WILSON'S VIEW.

Some Republican papers—and some of the Canadian protectionist papers also—affect to believe that the Republican success at the polls will be followed by a renewal of McKinleyism as soon as the new congress has an opportunity to turn back the hands of the clock. They wish it to be inferred that the people of the United States are already tired of the small measure of tariff reform they have enjoyed for a period of four months—for the new tariff went into force only on the 1st of July. It is hardly fair to accuse the whole nation with this absurd degree of fickleness, though undoubtedly a large number of those who voted on the Republican side last Tuesday would like to see McKinleyism restored. Congressman William Wilson, who is himself among the victims of the stampede, thus sums up the situation, of which he should be well able to judge:

"Hard times is an enemy before which no political party in America has ever been able to make a successful stand when in power.

"This is, and perhaps always will be, a weak point in popular government. When labor is out of employment, when farm products are low, when our financial system is disorganized, the wisest administration of government and the most wholesome laws do not avail to save a party from temporary and disastrous overthrow.

"Moreover, the whole teaching of the protective system trains men to depend, not on individual effort, the plain virtues of industry, thrift and temperance, but on government aid and laws of congress. Let me add also that we, together with our progressive nation, are now passing through an era of change, of unrest and of somewhat tumultuous agitation. The rapid adoption of the great instruments of modern industry and trade, the complete revolution which these are bringing about in production and distribution, their steady obliteration of immemorial handicrafts, their dislocation of many industries—all this, together with the unsettled conditions between capital and labor, have swept us into an era where for some years it may be increasingly difficult for any one party to hold on to the federal government for any long time.

"I do not believe the people have rebuked or discarded tariff reform in their action last Tuesday. In every campaign since 1886 except that of 1888 the Democratic party has won a decisive victory on that issue. To contend, therefore, that the people have now chastised the Democratic party for doing what they put into their power to do, is to question their honesty and intelligence. If they have inflicted chastisement it was because the party did not carry out with sufficient promptness and thoroughness the work they committed to it. The long and indefensible delay in the senate, the sinister suspicions that gathered around certain schedules and duties as they are framed kindled a disappointment and disgust amongst the rank and file of the party that led to apathy and even misjudged hostility in the recent elections. I have no doubt that had the bill which passed the house in the first days of February passed the senate as early as April or May in substantially its original shape, the result in Missouri and in many other sections of the country would have been reversed and the Democrats might even have weathered the industrial storm with credit if not success."

THE MISTAKE OF BRADSTREET'S

There was good reason for the board of trade taking up the action of Bradstreet's mercantile agency in regard to this province. As trade is now conducted, banks and wholesale merchants naturally depend very largely on the agencies for their knowledge of the standing of customers, and the announcement in the semi-annual report that no rating of British Columbia merchants could be given because of the disturbance from the floods could not fail to have a serious effect on the business of the province. The reason advanced for the suppression of the ratings is somewhat ridiculous, and could have only come from some of those persons who too easily give way to what may be called the flood panic. An agency such as Bradstreet's is supposed to be eminently cool-headed and sagacious, but its British Columbia department in this instance seems to have acted with extreme irrationality. The results have naturally been annoying to many of our merchants, and they cannot prove altogether beneficial to Bradstreet's.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Colonist in its inspired forecast of the speech from the throne alleged that "it would not be at all surprising if his honor made some allusion to the royal commission and the triumphant exoneration of his government from all blame with respect to the Nakusp & Slocan railroad transaction." His honor, however, made no such allusion, perhaps from a conviction that the "exoneration" was not so "triumphant" as it might have been.

Messrs. Tupper, Ouimet and Clarke Wallace addressed a meeting at Guysborough, Nova Scotia, on the 12th inst. They are evidently trying to get even with Duncan C. Fraser for the irreparable damage he has done the government in Manitoba, the Territories and British Columbia. Guysborough has, however, with the exception of four years—'78 to '82—been a staunch Liberal constituency since confederation, and it is not at all likely that the hardy fishermen down by the Atlantic will be gulled by Tupper's scrap book on the eve of a Liberal victory. Sand firm, Guysborough—Victoria is with you this time. The extreme east and the extreme west will strike for freedom together.

The Presbyterian Witness, a well known religious paper published in Halifax, says apropos of the recent Dominion loan: "The debt of Canada is large, very large; and the only consolation is that upon the whole the money has been spent economically, profitably, for the advantage of the country. But can this be asserted? Have our great public works been constructed honestly and economically? One need not charge a government, or the head of a department, with either dishonesty or incompetency because a railway, a canal, or a bridge costs more than was estimated; but when manifest fraud has been committed on a large scale, as in connection with the Wellington bridge, Montreal, one sees the possibilities of great losses to the country resulting from stupidity and incompetency on the one hand and craftily practiced robbery on the other. The Montreal contractor who managed to defraud the government so adroitly and so extensively is now being prosecuted in order that he may be punished and the money recovered. But in this case, as in previous cases, due vigilance would have prevented public robbery. The guardians of the treasury are in some instances phenomenally dull, or careless, or worse." This, we may remark, is not an expression of Grit opinion, but the view of one who would like to think well of the Tory government if he could.

SEVERELY CRITICIZED.

Temperance Women After Mrs. Cleveland for Using Wine on the St. Louis.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 14.—The Pittsburg temperance women are severely criticizing Mrs. Cleveland, wife of the president of the United States, for her action in using wine in christening the new ocean steamer St. Louis on Monday, and not following the request that was made to Mrs. Cleveland by the officers of the Women's Christian Temperance Union that she use a bottle of water to break over the bow of the vessel instead of the customary bottle of champagne. Mrs. Jane Collins, who was at the head of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Allegheny county during the stirring times of the crusade of 1874, when women went about the streets of the city praying in front of the saloons, yesterday said Mrs. Cleveland's action was a slap at the Women's Christian Temperance Union and an insult to the memory of the wife of President Hayes. She also protested against christening vessels, claiming it is a sacred ceremony and should only be done in the name of the Trinity. Other temperance women endorsed what Mrs. Collins said and stated that they will act at their next convention.

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PROVINCIAL ACCOUNTS.

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Destruct'n of wolves panthers, coyotes.	4,627 50	
In aid of militia....	600 00	
In aid of Provincial Rifle association...	800 00	
Board of Examiners, "Land Surveyors' Act"	348 00	
Board of Horticultre, travelling expenses etc	751 51	
Superannuation, mthly allowance to late mes'ng'r, D. Deasy of $40	480 00	
In aid of communication to remote settlements	1,200 00	
Provincial exhibit at Imperial Institute, London	655 82	
Lithographing maps.	867 50	
Expenses contesting legal questions with Dominion Gov't....	200 00	
Provincial Board of Health, including salaries (Act 1893).	1,200 00	
Provincial exhibit at World's Fair, Chicago	4,843 13	
Poultry shows, Victoria and Nanaimo.	300 00	
Naphtha launch for use of Provincial Police	1,873 38	
Copying records for land registry office, Kamloops	1,528 00	
Gratuity to wife of the late I. B. Nason, M.P.P.	300 00	
Gratuity to wife of T. M. Robb (3 mths salary)	180 00	
Expenses in preventing the spread of contagious diseases	2,285 18	
Refund to Municipality of Kaslo for licenses	600 00	
In aid of collecting historical information for the publication of B. C.	500 00	
Commission of Enquiry, "Board of Conciliation and Arbitration	223 25	
Exhibit at S F. fair.	279 25	
Collecting agricultural statistics	444 25	
Indemnity of J. E. McMillan, sheriff, of Victoria, re Atwell King seizure	5,000 00	
Miscellaneous not detailed	8,988 94	
Immigration	5,100 05	
Interests on deposits "Suitors' Fund Act, 1890."	780 52	
Funeral expenses of the late Sir M. B. Begbie	732 87	
Gratuity to estate of the late Duncan McRae (3 mths. salary)	300 00	
Gratuity to W. Muldoon (3 mths. salary)	240 00	
Horticultural society, Victoria	300 00	
Royal Commission re Nakusp & Slocan railway	1,153 60	
Protection of property and aid to settlers on Lower Fraser river in consequence of floods...	30,005 01	
		133,547 30
Total		1,594,007 80
Arrears		$3,440 20

ASSETS.

Dominion Government, Section 2, Terms of Union	$	583,021 40
Sinking Fund Loan, 1874, (deposited in Bank of B. C.)..		11,843 12
Sinking Fund Loan, 1877 (invested in London)		332,224 31
Sinking Fund Loan, 1887, invested in London)		116,928 75
Sinking Fund Loan, 1891 & 1893, (invested in London) inscribed stock		55,650 53
B. C. Loan Trustees (balance in their hands for investment on account of Sinking Fund Loan, 1891 and 1893)		11,998 96
Bank of B. C., special deposit.		306,088 84
Dominion Government—Amount paid Kinnippie & Morris, and Wm. Bennett, in settlement of claims for services as engineers of grasing dock at Esquimalt, due by the Dominion Government, under Act 47 Vic., entitled "An Act relating to the Island Railway, Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province"		8,667 50
The government of the State of Washington		1,128 62
Island Mountain Quartz Mining Co. (amount paid to Bank of B. C. of advance of $20,000, and interest $2,973.44, guaranteed under "An Act to aid the development of Quartz Mines")		22,973 44
B. C. Land and Investment Agency (special deposit as security by the London and Canadian Fire Insurance Co.		20,000 00
Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co. (balance in their hands to meet payment of stamp duty re inscription of stock)		6,044 16
Victoria & Sidney Railway C. (amount paid for interest on the company's bonds under guarantee authorized by Sec. 8 of the Victoria and Sidney Railway subsidy Act, 1892		9,045 00

Exhibit of gold specimens at World's Fair, Chicago..... $ 1,000 75
Dominion Government (Courtenay River's account, expenses in connection with report on clearing log jams..... 75 00
Corporation of the City of Vancouver (amount due under "Health Act")..... 200 00
Balances due by Agents viz:—C. Warwick, New Westminster, $3,156.86; A. P. Cummins, E Kootenay, $1,184.43; N Fitzstubbs, W Kootenay, $713.91; John Kirkup, Revelstoke, $250.14; J. Bowron, Cariboo, $1,780.12; L. Norris, Okanagan, $3,000.00; G C Tunstall, Kamloops, $2,245.62; F. Soues, Clinton, $1,010.23; M. Bray, Nanaimo, $851.47; Jas Porter, Cassiar, $5.00; Wm. Dodd, Yale, $883.48; H. O. Welburn, Cowichan, $1,065.62; C. R. Lambly, collector, Osoyoos, $178.50..... 16,304 78
The hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, advance account..... 2,000 00
The Hon. the Provincial Secretary, advance account..... 808 10
Cash balance on hand at Treasury..... 1,250 32
Province of B. C. (being balance of liabilities over assets. 2,208,767 72
Total..... $3,904,807 24

LIABILITIES.

B. C. Loan (Act 1874) bearing 7 per cent. interest, payable at Victoria	$	20,000 00
B. C. Loan (Act 1877) bearing 6 per cent interest, payable at London		500,825 00
B. C. Loan (Act 1887) bearing 4 1-2 per cent. interest, payable in London		446,695 00
B. C. Loan (Act 1891) bearing 5 per cent interest, payable in London		2,000,358 25
B. C. Loan (Act 1893) bearing 3 per cent interest, payable in London		500,945 00
Bank of B. C., account current		66,389 97
Deposits (intestate estate, etc.)		47,559 03
Deposits (Suitors' Fund Act, 1890)		19,366 98
Shuswap & Okanagan Railway Co. (balance of Dominion Government subsidy)		50,123 01
London and Canadian Fire Insurance Co. amount deposited as security under Act of Incorporation '53 Vic. chap. 53'		20,000 00
Nakusp & Slocan Railway Co. (deposit by company in lieu of subsidy)		118,400 00
Balance due Jno. Fleyin, Government Agent, Skeena		155 00
Total		$3,904,807 24

REVENUE

	1893-94.	1892-93.
Dominion of Canada annual—		
Interest	$ 29,151	$ 29,151
Subsidy	35,000	35,000
Grant per capita	79,434	81,197
Lands conveyed	100,000	100,000
Land Sales	33,917	179,990
Land revenue	6,104	9,478
Timber royalty, etc.	18,725	9,586
Survey fees	494	342
Rents (not land)	81	.....
Timber leases	24,925	13,426
Miners' certificates	23,015	27,898
Mining, general	25,545	23,292
Licenses	20,601	32,432
Marriage licenses	3,040	3,410
Real property tax	66,714	80,004
Personal property tax	84,782	84,531
Wild Lands tax	35,947	28,113
Income tax	6,634	7,540
Provincial Rev. tax	45,080	40,116
Rgstrd taxes (arrears)	33	852
Tax sale deeds	10	20
Rev. service (refunds)	112	.....
Commis'n on tax sales	92	.....
Fines and forfeitures	9,389	10,451
Law stamps	11,300	11,216
Probate Fees	4,672	5,733
Registry fees	46,845	58,893
Assay office fees	331	273
Asylum for insane	1,777	2,480
Printing office receipts	5,236	5,679
Sale Govt property	1,060	2,537
Sale Consol. Statutes	54	228
Reimbursements in aid	5,776	5,152
Interest	34,619	18,393
Chinese Restriction Act	27,387	40,062
Education refunds	.....	40,280
Reduction Wks, Cariboo	.....	75
Miscellaneous	4,614	12,276
	$ 798,570	$1,012,257
Int. on Sinking Funds.	23,080	6,948
Net revenue	$ 821,600	$1,019,206
Loan Act, 1893	599,945	.....
Total	$1,421,605	$1,019,206
Deposits—Int'st'te Est.	20,635	19,869
do. Suitors' Fund	14,969	44,003
S. & O. R. Dom. Sub.	.....	98,199
do. receipts	8,709	14,805
N. & S. Ry deposit	118,400	.....

REVENUE BY DISTRICTS.

	1893-94.	1892-93.
Victoria City	$ 74,929	$ 93,212
Victoria District	17,144	18,797
Esquimalt	15,018	19,043
Cowichan	6,049	7,229
Islands	3,238	3,473
Nanaimo City	8,577	13,898
Nanaimo District	18,814	19,667
Alberni	8,700	23,358
Comox	15,281	54,998
New Westminster City	28,404	42,990
Westminster District	40,277	89,247
Vancouver	32,380	47,641
Yale	60,380	62,787
Lillooet	14,650	17,578
East Kootenay	11,553	14,039
West Kootenay	50,370	77,031
Cariboo	15,695	13,554
Cassiar	4,057	4,758
Coast	15,548	15,846
Sundry	260,189	268,809
	$827,060	$1,019,206

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BRIEF LOCALS

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—Cutlery, plated goods, China ornaments, etc., in abundance at Weiler's. *

—A meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U. will be held in the Temperance Hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

—A smoking concert will be held this evenig in connection with the regular meeting of the Sons of Erin. *

—The United States survey boat Gedney, Captain Flynn, arrived in San Francisco last Friday, after a pleasant and uneventful voyage.

—The general celebration committee in connection with the agricultural show will hold a meeting at the city hall at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening to finally wind up the affairs.

—The Sons of Erin will meet this evening in Pioneer Hall. It is the regular monthly meeting and among other things Secretary Ackland will submit some Irish literature recently received.

—At the meeting of the managing committee of the J. B. A. A. held last night the following gentlemen were elected members of the association: Hew William Fergusson Pollock, Douglas Loat, Ernest A. Jacobs, Percy R. Daniels, F. J. Daniels and James Stanhope Byrn.

—The funeral of the late Horatio F. Barnswell took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of the parents, Johnson street. Rev. Solomon Cleaver conducted services at the house and grave. The pallbearers were: C. Jacklin, F. Caesar, H. Carter, S. Pierre, F. Clanton and A. Lane.

—Perseverance lodge, No. 1, I. O. G. T., held its regular Tuesday evening meeting when several new members were initiated, and for the good of the order the new officers entertained the lodge to fruit and a good programme. There were also several members of sister lodges present.

—The concert at St. James Hall under the management of the ladies of St. James Church, was a well attended and very successful affair in every way. The programme rendered was as follows: Song, "Non e Ver," Mr. E. Mallandaine; song, Mrs. Goepel; song, "Ask Nothing More," Mr. W. R. Higgins; song, "O, Promise Me," Miss Arrowsmith; recitation, Mr. Phillips; song, Mr. S. Y. Wootton; song, "Beauty's Eyes," Miss Macleod; and song, Mr. Phillips.

—Proprietors Michael and Louis Young, of the New England restaurant, will appear in the police court Thursday morning charged with an infraction of the public health by-law. Sanitary Officer Conlin served the summonses yesterday. The specific charge is that the Young Brothers kept pigs in a shed on Johnson street. Last spring the same persons were charged with a like offence but the case was dismissed. Sanitary Officer Conlin has laid the information this time under a different section.

—J. A. Carthew and associate business men, have purchased from Messrs. Coates, of Scotland, the little fishing village known as Price's Landing. The purchase includes the cannery proper, auxiliary buildings, bond and storehouses cabins for whites and Indians, and a small-sized chapel in the bargain. The cannery plant, several scows, the Clara W. Young form portion of the purchase. The buildings will be torn down in the spring and removed to Carlisle, the headquarters of the fishing operations of Mr. Carthew on the Skeena river. Three hundred acres of land are included in the purchase. The new company, of which John A. Carthew is the head, intend to prosecute fishing next year on an extensive basis.

—W. Lawson, an unsophisticated laboring man from British Columbia, complained to the police Monday morning that he had been robbed of $305 in a room over the Mint saloon by a woman called Belle Mitchell, says yesterday's Post-Intelligencer. According to his story he came to the city with his partner, William Nicholson, and started out to have a pleasant time. He became acquainted with Miss Mitchell and went to a room with her. After a short sleep he awoke to find his money and acquaintance gone. He said that the worst of it was that $200 of the $305 belonged to his partner. Officer Ellis arrested the woman and charged her with grand larceny. She denies the charge. Her case will be heard this afternoon in the municipal court, and in default of $750 bonds she was held in the city jail.

—Teeth extracted, 50c. each. Dr. A. Humber, 93 1-2 Douglas street. *

—A very important meeting of the Liberal association will be held on Friday evening.

—Why cough, while Bronchial Balsam cures coughs and can be obtained at Bowes' drug store, 27 Johnson street? *

—A fine line of razor straps just arrived at Fox's, 78 Government street. Come and learn how to strop your razor. *

—The board of school trustees will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight at the police court room at the city hall.

—Special facilities for making blank books and doing extra claf and other superior binding at R. T. Williams & Co.'s, 28 Broad street. *

—There was not a single case heard in the city police court this morning, and the police made no arrests during the night or morning.

—It is a fact that the B. & H. burners give th egreatest satisfaction. They are fitted to the "new line" of lamps just to hand. Weiler Bros. *

—A business meeting of the W. C. T. U. of special importance will be held in Temperance hall to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock sharp. A large attendance of members is desired.

—The steamer Maude leaves for the west coast on her semi-monthly trip to-morrow. She will touch at Kuyoquot, Nootka, Clayoquot, Muir creek and San Juan harbor. Time of sailing, 8 o'clock.

—The final rehearsal of the "Meeting of the Nations" took place last evening, and everything went off admirably. To-night's performance at A. O. U. W. hall promises to be one of the best ever given here.

—The ladies' committee of the Refuge home, 108 Cormorant street, will hold a sale of work on Saturday afternoon, the 17th inst., commencing at 2.30 o'clock. Special attention has been given to children's clothing.

—The civil service examinations are being conducted this week by Rev. Dr. Campbell in the council chamber at the city hall. They continue five days. Twenty-nine candidates are writing, four at the preliminary and twenty-five at the qualifying grade.

—At St. Ann's Convent, to-morrow afternoon, Mrs. Watt will lecture on the characteristics of Dickens. This should be one of the most interesting lectures of the series, almost every lady being interested in Dickens and his works. The attendance at the lectures is increasing weekly.

—Acting under instructions from Chief of Police Sheppard, the owner of a disreputable house on View street left that locality for Humboldt street, but she was permitted to remain there only a few hours. The residents of Humboldt street rightly objected, and the woman is again back on View street.

—A number of sealing schooner owners have already engaged their Indian crews for the ensuing sealing season. It is reported that many of the schooners will make an early start, but not so many will go to the Japan coast as last year. In a great measure the extent of the sealing operations will depend upon the prices quoted from the London markets.

—Hon. Mr. Davie has given notice of his intention to ask leave to introduce bills for the benefit of mechanics and laborers, to confer civil jurisdiction on stipendiary magistrates and police magistrates, to authorize the revision of the statutes and to repeal chapter 28 of the statutes of 1894, intituled an act to amend the license act. The latter act which it is proposed to repeal refers to the transfer and granting of licenses in the districts.

—Before the fall you could get along somehow without a wrap, but now that the season is advanced a waterproof, Cape, ulster or jacket is a necessity. To-day you can get a very beautiful garment for very little money at Partridge's Lansdowne house, 86 Yates street, as he is going out of this line. He needs the room for his millinery department. *

—It was rumored to-day that the attorney-general's office had written the police commissioners that it was their duty to instruct the police as to the cleaning out of the houses of ill fame on View street, and that they were not following the law in leaving it to the municipal council. Mayor Teague could not be found this afternoon, and Magistrate Macrae when seen by a reporter of the Times, said that he had no knowledge of any such letter.

—There was a big crowd at the concert which concluded the bazaar of the ladies of the Catholic cathedral at Institute hall last night. They came in large numbers early in the evening for high tea, and by 8.30 o'clock, when the concert began, the hall was simply crowded. The programme included two choruses by the choir under C. A. Lombard and two choruses by twenty little girls, a gypsy song and dance by Miss Mabel Lyons, a song by Miss Nettie Cohen and a recitation by Isadore Cohen. Every number was heartily applauded. Among the ladies who assisted in making the bazaar a success were Mrs. A. E. B. Davie, Mrs. Astrico, Mrs. Burnes, Mrs. McQuade, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Keast, Mrs. Dowling, Mrs. Madigan, Mrs. Wilkes, the Misses Keast, the Misses Davie, the Misses McDowell, Miss Mills, Miss Dwyer, Miss Patton, Miss Keenan, Miss Skinner, Miss Milne, Miss Carroll, Miss Piers and others.

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THE CASE WITHDRAWN.

Charge Against Winnett and Cooper Brought Under a Misapprehension.

The charge of obtaining money under false pretences preferred against James A. Winnett and George Cooper by Phillip Brander Eteson, was withdrawn this morning. The motion came from the side of the prosecution, and Magistrate Macrae acceded to it after hearing the statement of Richard Elliott, solicitor for the prosecutor. Mr. Winnett, Mr. Elliott and Mr. Eteson were in police court this morning. When the case was called on for hearing Mr. Elliott, for the complainant, stated that since the application for a settlement made at the former hearing, he had been able to make a full investigation of the matter, and could now assure the court that the ends of justice would not be at all defeated by allowing the parties to settle the matter and withdraw the charge. The case had been brought under a misapprehension, and it was to be regretted. His Honor stated his belief that the defendants had acted entirely without criminal or wrongful intent, and while regretting the unpleasant position in which they had been placed, was very glad to find himself able to allow the charge to be withdrawn.

The facts of the case are as follows: Allan S. Dumbleton, solicitor, acting as agent for the owners of the property, authorized Winnett and Cooper to sell the property. The owners resided at that time in England. The purchase price and commission to the defendants was not at that time definitely fixed, but any offer received was to be net to the owners and the agents were to make their commission out of the buyer. In this way the defendants had the property in their hands for a long time. Real estate being inactive there was no demand. Finally the prosecutor noticed their advertisement in the local newspapers, called in their office, enquired about the property, price, etc. The defendants asked $225 per acre, to which prosecutor demurred, stating it was too high, he couldn't pay that amount. He was then asked to make an offer and in compliance with that request, offered $200 per acre. Mr. Winnett told him to call in in the afternoon and he would see about it. In the afternoon prosecutor called and was told that he could not get it for $200. The very lowest price was $215. Prosecutor subsequently offered $215 and Mr. Cooper told him that the property had been left with them by a law firm in Victoria, that the owner was in England and that the deeds would have to be signed there. The prosecutor said this would suit him as he also had to get his money from England, and paid down $150 to bind him. Part of the $150 was paid over to the solicitor by the defendants and a receipt taken for it, the solicitor, however, stating that he would have to get the owner's approval before accepting finally. In the meantime the owner had gone to Egypt and the necessary correspondence took a very considerable time. Sometime afterward, prosecutor's money having arrived, he was anxious to complete the purchase. Eventually the owner disapproved of the terms of sale and it fell through. A week or two before the charge was laid Cooper and prosecutor had a talk, when it was understood the sale was likely to fall through and Cooper said if it did he would pay over the money in a few days after. Calling upon the firm Friday last he was told to drop in on Saturday morning and he would have the amount in full. Instead of doing this prosecutor consulted R. F. Elliott, who, being unacquainted with the parties and not fully cognizant of all the circumstances in connection with the matter, advised a prosecution, and a charge was laid Friday. Saturday morning the money was ready, and counsel, becoming aware the next morning of all the circumstances and the mistakes that had arisen, and being very averse to casting a stigma upon the name of the defendants, heartily approved of a withdrawal of the charge.

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PERSONAL.

Thos. Kitchen, M.P.P., is quartered at the Oriental.

A. E. Macnaughton returned to Victoria yesterday.

Jos. Dupuis, Wellington, is registered at the Oriental.

E. M. Garnwood, Nanaimo, is registered at the Driard.

Miss Hughes, Westminster, is a guest at the New England.

Dr. Milne returned to Victoria by the Charmer last night.

Alexander Ewen, the canneryman, of New Westminster, is in town.

Mrs. Conway and Miss Conway, Chemainus, are staying at the Oriental.

Wm. Stewart, Portland, Ore., and Thos. Adair, Toronto, are at the Driard.

M. Gartenberg and H. E. Wocks, San Francisco, are at the New England.

Rev. G. M. Tait was a passenger from the Mainland by the Charmer last night.

Miss L. G. Young and Miss M. Young came over from the Mainland to Victoria last night.

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White Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 12½ cents each.

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SALVATION ARMY WORK.

Preparations for Self-Denial Week—Gen. Booth's Visit.

The Salvation Army are preparing for their annual self-denial week, which will be celebrated throughout the Dominion of Canada from December 1st to 8th inclusive.

The proceeds which have been raised through this remarkable agency in other years are a standing testimony of the Army's development and activity. Every member of the Army, as well as the numerous friends of its institutions, are asked to abstain from some or all luxuries, and in some cases the officers and soldiers have determined to live actually on bread and water to raise their share of the local target.

The Army has made several advances during the past year, especially in its social work. "Salvation for the Body; Salvation for the Soul," is one of the large mottoes placed outside of the Montreal shelter, where the poor and hungry are warmed and fed in that city.

General Booth, founder and leader of this great movement, is to visit Victoria on January 2nd and 3rd. Wonderful receptions have been tendered him in the eastern provinces and throughout the United States, where he is now travelling. Adjutant Archibald has the plans of the general's meetings and receptions in the cities of the coast, and says that the general will meet with a most cordial reception from all classes.

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LABOR COMMISSION REPORT

Recommend That Permanent United States Strike Commission be Appointed.

All Parties Came in for a Share of the Blame for the A. R. U. Strikes.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 13.—The post publishes the report of the labor commission appointed to investigate the strike of last summer. It says in part:

"The troubles of the Illinois Central and the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific companies were the ones investigated. According to the testimony, the railroad lost in property destroyed, hiring of United States deputy marshals and other incidental expenses, at least $685,308. The loss of earnings of these roads is estimated at $4,672,916. Some 3100 employes at Pullman lost in wages as estimated at least $350,000. About 100,000 employes upon the 24 roads centreing at Chicago, all of which were more or less involved in the strike, lost in wages as estimated at least $1,389,134. Many of these employes are still adrift and losing wages."

The commission says of the Pullman Palace Car company:

"For the year ending July 1, 1893, the dividends were $2,520,000 and the wages $7,223,719.51. For the year ending July 1, 1894, the dividends were $2,880,000 and the wages $4,471,701.89. As the result of the Pullman system and its growth, when the depression of 1893 came, morally calling for mutual concessions as to wages, rents, etc., we find on the one side a very wealthy and unyielding corporation and upon the other a multitude of employes of comparatively excellent character and skill, but without local attachments or any interested responsibility in the town, its business, tenements or surroundings. The conditions created at Pullman enabled the management at all times to assert with great vigor its assumed right to fix wages and rents absolutely and to repress the sort of independence which leads to labor organizations and their attempts at mediation, arbitration, strikes, etc.

In speaking of the general managers' association of railway companies, the commission says:

"The association is an illustration of the persistent and shrewdly devised plans of corporations to over-reach their limitations and to usurp indirectly powers and rights not contemplated in their charters and not obtainable from the people or their legislatures." It further says that the legalizing of this "pooling" would result in an aggregation of power and capital that would be dangerous to the people and their liberties as well as to employes and their rights. The question would then certainly arise as to which should control, the government or the railroads, and the end would inevitably be government ownership. Unless ready for that result and what it implies the government must restrain corporations within the law and prevent them from making unlawful and dangerous combinations. At least so long as railroads are thus permitted to combine and fix wages for their joint protection, it would be rank injustice to deny the right of all labor upon railroads to unite for similar purposes."

In conclusion the commission recommends:

"That there be a permanent United States strike commission of three members, with duties and powers of investigation and recommendation as to disputes between railways and their employes, similar to those vested in the interstate commerce commission as to rates, etc.

"That the interstate commerce act power be given to the United States courts to compel railroads to obey the decisions of the commission after summary hearing unattended by technicalities, and that no delays in obeying the decisions of the commission be allowed, pending appeals.

"That whenever the parties to a controversy in a matter within the jurisdiction of the commission are one or more railroads upon one side and one or more national trades unions incorporated under chapter 567 of the United States statutes of 1885-86, or under the state statutes, upon the other, each side shall have the right to select a representative, who shall be appointed by the president to serve as a temporary member of the commission in hearing, adjusting and determining that particular controversy.

"That during the pendency of a proceeding before the commission inaugurated by national trades unions or by an incorporation of employes, it shall not be lawful for the railroads to discharge employes belonging thereto except for inefficiency, violation of law or neglect of duty; nor for such unions or corporations during such pendency to order, unite in aid of strikes, boycotts against the railroads complained of, nor for a period of six months after a decision for such railroads to discharge any such employes in whose places others shall be employed, except for the causes aforesaid; nor for such employes during a like period to quit the service without giving thirty days' written notice of intention to do so; nor for any such union or incorporation to order, counsel or advise otherwise.

"That chapter 567 of the United States states of 1885-86 be amended so as to require national trades unions to provide in their articles of incorporation and in their constitution and by-laws that a member shall cease to be such and forfeit all rights and privileges conferred on him by law as such by participating in or instigating by force or violence against persons or property during strikes or boycotts, or by seeking to prevent others from working through violence, threats or intimidation; also that members shall be more personally liable for corporate acts than are stockholders in corporations.

"The commission further recommends that congress consider the establishment of a license system, by which all the higher employes or others of railroads engaged in interstate commerce should be licensed after due and proper examination.

"The commission suggests the consideration by the states of the adoption of some system of conciliation and arbitration like that in use in the commonwealth of Massachusetts. That system might be enforced by additional provisions, giving the board of arbitration more power to investigate all strikes whether requested to do so or not, and the question might be considered as to giving labor organizations a standing before the law as heretofore suggested for national trades unions.

"Contracts requiring men to agree not to join labor organizations, or to leave them, as conditions of employment, should be made illegal, as is already done in some of the states."

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ULLMAN VS. CORPORATION.

Important Judgment Delivered by Mr. Justice Drake.

Following is the judgment of Mr. Justice Drake, sitting as a county court judge in the action of the city of Victoria against Joseph Ullman and Company, delivered on Saturday last, dismissing the action with costs. This was a test case brought by the city to determine whether or not buyers of sealskins and other furs should be liable for the $507 revenue tax imposed on "fur traders and dealers." Messrs. Eberts and Taylor for the city, Mr. A. L. Belyea for the defendant.

Corporation of the City of Victoria vs. Joseph Ullman and Company: Plaint, to recover $50 amount of license payable by defendant in respect of his business as a fur trader carried on in Victoria.

The defendant admits that he paid no license and claims that he is not a fur trader within the meaning of the revenue by-law, 1893.

The by-law follows the act, section 204, sub-section 27, but is limited to fur traders and no license is required of fur dealers. What distinction is intended to be drawn between a fur dealer and a fur trader I am unable to say as neither the act or the by-law gives any definition of either. I should be inclined to think that a fur dealer is one who deals in furs, that is buys and sells them in the ordinary course of his business. A dry goods merchant selling fur, made up into garments, or articles of ornament would thus be a fur dealer. It is evidently not meant to apply to a furrier who dresses furs for subsequent use. If this is a correct description of a fur dealer, what is a fur trader? He is one who trades in furs, that is, he buys and sells furs for the purpose of gain. The term "trader" has been defined in the English Bankruptcy Act and in the Dominion Winding Up Act, but in both these statutes, the definition is given for the purposes of the act. The latter act is more comprehensive in its terms than the Bankruptcy Act, but even there, it uses the terms buying and selling, not buying alone. The defendant in the present case only buys furs to be shipped off to his principals in New York, no single case of selling furs has been proved against him. Even one is more or less a buyer but he is not therefore a trader. The defendant in a secondary sense may be a trader as being a person who carries on a trade business or occupation, but in my opinion the act and by-law contemplate a buying and selling again in the municipality. Here there is no selling again for gain, so the defendant is not liable for the license sued for. Judgment for defendant with costs.

M. W. TYBWHIT DRAKE, J.

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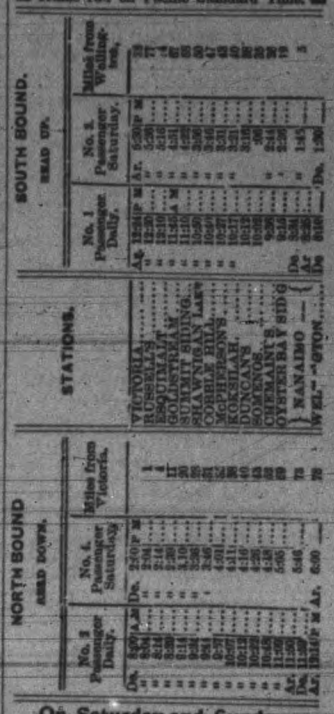

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STICK UP FOR SUTHERLAND.

The Majority of the Old Men in the Home Think the Caretaker a Good Man.

Remainder of the Testimony at Enquiry—Sutherland in His Own Defence.

The board of aldermen concluded the taking of testimony in the Old Men's Home enquiry late yesterday afternoon. Caretaker Sutherland was partially heard in his own defence and, as the hour was getting late an alderman suggested that the caretaker send the remainder of the reply to accusations he thought had not been covered by him in rebuttal testimony to the board in writing. The sitting was then declared at an end and the councillors again took hacks and drove into town.

The following evidence was given after the Times went to press yesterday afternoon:

George Gardner had a complaint against the home management.

John Hemming, aged 64, was well treated. He had good food. Sometimes the food was badly cooked. The caretaker had taken away several chickens. He said he was going to sell them. No new chickens had come back in return.

Robert Plummer handed in the following statement:

"Old Men's Home, Victoria, B. C.,
"November 13, 1894.

"To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Victoria, B. C.

"Gentlemen,—In response to your notice of the 9th inst., I have to complain of the general unfitness of the premises at Ross bay as unsuited for the purpose for which they are at present used; they are not weather proof, doors, windows and roofs leak and admit draughts. There is an entire absence of water closets in the building, and the present closets are too remote. I fell four times last winter during the storm, and on one occasion sustained a severe injury to my right knee, from which I still suffer, and in the middle of a wet, stormy night they are practicably inaccessible. There are wanted clothes pegs in the bath room, tables and spittoons in the sitting room, matting or some sort of floor cloth on the hall, stairs, passages and floors to deaden the noise; the inmates should all be provided with slippers and ordered to wear them in the house; all loud talking, shouting and noise of every kind should be prohibited; punctuality is not sufficiently attended to; there is a marked falling off in the cooking to what there was at the time when the present caretaker first entered upon his duties; his children should not be allowed on the premises, especially the boys; walking sticks should not be retained in the hand, but left in the hall, and not taken upstairs or into any of the rooms. All talking and noise in the bedrooms should be forbidden, and only those requiring rest or quiet should be allowed to occupy them during the day.

"I suffer continually from nervous and neuralgic headaches, and all noise is exceedingly distressing to me, at times driving me half crazy, and I have no escape, as there is no place where rest and quiet can be had. I am physically unable to work and have no occupation but reading, and being treated as a prisoner am unable to get to the library to change my books, and it is downright cruelty to confine a person afflicted as I am in a place so absolutely unsuited to my requirements. The caretaker is negligent and lazy, spiteful and vindictive, rude and discourteous, tyrannical, harsh and cruel; very ignorant, inexperienced and incapable, and in my opinion it would not be easy to find another person so unfit to hold that position.

"I most strongly object to the downright cruelty of the system of imprisonment by which the inmates are tortured, and consider the use of so holy and sacred a name as "home," when applied to so vile a place (a trifune compound of prison, lunatic asylum and hospital), as this place is, little short of blasphemy.

There is no classification of the inmates in the dormitory with respect to their ailments. I suffer severely from this neglect.

"The whole place is shamefully neglected. None of the officials come near it, and the complaints and requests of the inmates are utterly unattended to. It is a positive fact that I have not had one hour's peace, quiet and comfort since I entered the place, except when I was sound asleep or absent on leave. No consideration is paid to my complaints or requests, and things appear to be so ordered as to add to my misery and wretchedness instead of lessening them.

"Smoking should not be prohibited in the dormitories unless objected to by one of the occupants.

"More attention should be paid to the mending of clothing.

"The palsied condition of my hands and other infirmities render it most painful and difficult for me to write or I should say more.

"I am, gentlemen, yours respectfully,
"ROBERT PLUMMER.

"P. S.—The inmates should be able to feel that the place is a "Home." They should not be forced to ask leave when wishing to go about their ordinary and legitimate business. It is of course right that the caretaker should know where they are going, and all they should be called upon to do is to inform him of their intended absence and the length of its duration when going down town on business or on a visit to their friends. R. P."

Ald. Vigelius said the statement was more against the council than the caretaker.

Ald. Styles asked had he ever seen the caretaker acting cruelly.

Witness replied that the caretaker had abused several inmates and spoken to them in a gruff and unwarranted manner. The caretaker had never abused him. Sutherland was hasty, hot tempered, spiteful, vindictive, and, if thwarted, he would vent his spite on inmates. Sutherland had stopped McFadden from going into town to give evidence in the Dooley case. Without any prejudice Sutherland was, as the Irish say, "Not the man for Galway."

Ald. Dwyer asked did he know that Sutherland had appropriated provisions and clothes?

Witness replied that he personally knew nothing about pilfering, that he had heard the stories already told the council.

James Lormar said there was a pack of grumblers in the institution. Saints Peter and Paul would not please them. Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland were too good.

Ald. Vigelius asked how the men's were cooked. The answer was good. The very worst meal witness had he would be thankful to get in Old Ireland" on a Christmas day.

John Ritchie had nothing to complain of. He was highly pleased with the place.

Moses Webb, aged 63, said Halfpenny for a week at a time had no change of linen on his bed. The food was good, but the rooms were not warm enough.

Timothy Connaught, aged 77, was perfectly satisfied with the food and treatment generally.

Ald. Ledigham asked about Halfpenny's treatment.

Witness said Halfpenny's bed was not changed very often. The caretaker appeared kind to Halfpenny.

James Sewell, aged 75, was well pleased with the treatment. He did cooking and general work.

Ald. Baker asked did the caretaker ask him to speak in his behalf?

The reply was in the negative.

James McFadden here again entered of his own accord and said he forgot to say that Halfpenny was once forced to get out of his bed and come to the table. Halfpenny fell on his knees and could not go farther. Two inmates assisted him to bed again.

Alex. McLain was satisfied with the treatment of the caretaker. He had no complaints to make.

Francis McKinney, familiarly known as "Larry," was so old that he forgot his name. He handed in a paper of grievances which he would read to the "honorable crowd"—looking round at the aldermen. The grievances were duly filed. They were inquired into before; they contain nothing against Caretaker Sutherland.

Witness would forgive the caretaker for any ill treatment.

Ald. Dwyer asked did the caretaker treat him badly.

Witness replied that he had been treated better. The food was good and the clothes supplied were warm.

J. D. Johnson, aged 70, was perfectly satisfied with the home in general.

Sam Bates, aged 73, complained that some of the inmates did not work and others did much work. There was no equalization of labor. No supplies had been taken by the caretaker. The caretaker had never struck any old man, but went through the motion often enough. Some of the inmates were unruly.

Ald. Baker asked would it be an advantage to put some of the inmates on bread and water till they conducted themselves properly.

"That would be a good idea," came the reply.

Gilbert Brabant, aged 70, had no complaint. The caretaker was considerate and kind.

Joseph Geske, aged 75, was also one of those who had no complaint. The food was sometimes undercooked. The caretaker had not ill treated any man.

John Phibbs, aged 63, said some inmates had one suit of clothes, while others had more than they could wear in seven years. He was satisfied with the treatment; the food was fair. It was noticed that Phibbs wore a pair of pants that were badly torn.

Ald. Baker asked that the caretaker produce the arm chairs referred to in the testimony.

The arm chairs were both produced. They were in the bedrooms.

The evidence of McFadden and Plummer was read to Caretaker Sutherland.

Caretaker Sutherland read a letter from Chairman Munn of the old men's home, which refuted the statement that McFadden had never broken the rules. McFadden, Plummer and Copeland did all they could to make the other inmates dissatisfied. Witness denied that he had appropriated provisions to his own use. The men were well supplied with clothing. He did not care how much clothing they had, only they threw it about the rooms.

Ald. Wilson asked if he did not make fish of one and flesh of the other.

Witness denied this. Plummer was bound to go into town and he would not allow him. The inmates received eggs last summer once a week. Lately the hens were not laying. Two eggs were given to each man.

At this stage the evidence of Sutherland was discontinued to permit of more evidence of other witnesses.

Richard Morrison, aged 65, said he was roughly used last spring, but that was a bygone, and he had forgiven Caretaker Sutherland. Witness was then sick and Sutherland would not allow him to go into town. Sutherland wanted him to work. Witness had heart disease and the doctor gave him a certificate to Sutherland saying he was unable to work. Sutherland shook his hand in his face.

Ald. Vigelius asked witness did he not do work for some one in the city.

Witness replied that ex-Mayor Beaven last summer had given him permission to go to town to earn a few dollars for himself.

Caretaker Sutherland, continuing, said the food was well cooked, but he could not be expected to please all grumblers. If McFadden and Copeland were away he could manage the others very well; not that the others were very agreeable, but those two men prejudiced the others. He alleged that the inmates stole from one another. Under the witness Dooley's bed he had found suits of underwear and socks; they had been taken away from others.

Ald. Ledingham asked was there any way of punishing them by dieting.

Ald. Humphrey said that would not do. Insubordination should be punished by dismissal from the home.

The witness admitted that one old man had told tales out of schoool, but to send him away would make enemies, and he had enough already.

Ald. Wilson did not see why the caretaker should care if he had done his duty.

Caretaker Sutherland replied that it was far from a pleasant position to be placed in. Morrison had once come to him and said that he was going out whether he gave him permission or not. Witness then said Morrison was not to go. Morrison saw the doctor and got a certificate from him saying he was sick of heart disease and could not work. In the meantime he (witness) had seen the committee and he was told to dismiss Morrison for leaving without permission, and had therefore done so.

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Nearly In Despair,

and had about decided to sit up all night in my easy chair, and procure what sleep I could in that way. It then occurred to me that I had a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I took a spoonful of this preparation in a little water, and was able to lie down without coughing. In a few moments, I fell asleep, and awoke in the morning **greatly refreshed** and feeling much better. I took a teaspoonful of the Pectoral every night for a week, then gradually decreased the dose, and in two weeks my cough was cured."

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

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MUNICIPAL.

Municipal Elections, 1895.

HOUSEHOLDERS' QUALIFICATION.

All persons wishing to qualify, under the above qualification, as voters for the ensuing municipal elections for the year 1895, in accordance with clause E of section 37 of the Municipal Amendment Act, 1894, can do so by calling at the assessor's office, City Hall, and making the necessary declaration on or before the 30th day of November instant.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Assessor.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C., November, 1894.

NOTICE.

Fort street, between Douglas and Blanchard is closed to public traffic. By order

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Tuesday, October 23, 1894.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Government Street, between Fort and Yates, and Yates Street between Government and Broad, are closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, B. C., August 27th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Herald Street between Government and Douglas Streets is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

October 2nd—tf.

NOTICE.

Douglas Street, from Pembroke Street to King's Road, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc8-tf

NOTICE.

Yates street from Langley to Wharf is closed to traffic till further notice.

By order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc9-tf

NOTICE.

Bastion Street, from Langley to Wharf, is closed to traffic till further notice.

By order,

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc9-tf

NOTICE.

Langley Street, from Courtney to Yates Street, is closed to public traffic till further notice.

By order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, October 15th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Courtney Street, from Wharf to Langley Street, is closed to public traffic till further notice.

By order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, October 15th, 1894.

NOTICE.

In addition to my Agency for WELLS, FARGO & CO., I am now prepared to receive Express matter of every description for transmission daily to SEATTLE, TACOMA, SPOKANE, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS and other points in connection with the GREAT NORTHERN COMPANY.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Land Registry Act.

Part (25x70 feet) of lot 162 Victoria City.—A certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above Hereditaments will be issued to Anna Pittock on the 19th day of January, 1895 unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or in some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C. 15th October, 1894. oct15-td

Mortgagee's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in an indenture of mortgage registered in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B. C., as No. 14,547 B in Charge Book vol. II, fol. 881, tenders will be received by the undersigned not later than noon on the 16th of November, 1894, for the purchase of sections 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of the easterly 50 acres of section 9, and the easterly 75 acres of section 10 in range 4, Comiaken District in Vancouver Island, containing in all 325 acres more or less.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Dated October 15th, 1894.

LINDLEY CREASE,
16 Chancery Lane, Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitor for the Mortgagee. o16-1m

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria at its next sitting for a transfer to Thomas Potter of the license now held by the undersigned to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Lion Brewery Saloon, situate at the corner of Chambers street and Queen's avenue, in the City of Victoria.

W. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

Administering the estate of Geo. Fairbrother, deceased, intestate. o31-1m

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

In the matter of the Winding Up Act and Amending Acts; and in the Matter of the Point Comfort Hotel Company, Limited.

The time for settling the list of contributories and adjudicating upon the claims of creditors of the company has been enlarged to Friday, 9th November, 1894, at 11 a.m., and the place appointed is Mr. Justice Crease's chambers at the law courts, Victoria.

Dated 2nd November, 1894.

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for the Liquidator.

Enlarged by order of Mr. Justice Crease to Wednesday, the 14th instant, at the same hour and place. no12-2w

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next sitting by George Meldram for a transfer of the license to sell spirituous or fermented liquors in and upon the premises known as the Clarence Hotel, on Yates street, in the city of Victoria, from James Wishart and G. G. Meldram to said G. G. Meldram.

Dated this 15th day of September, A.D. 1894.

JAMES WISHART,
GEORGE G. MELDRAM.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria at its next sitting for a transfer to Carlo Bossi of the license now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Osborne House, situated at the corner of Pandora and Blanchard streets, in the city of Victoria.

WILLIAM BAINES.

Victoria, B. C., November 7th, 1894

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that it is my intention to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria at its setting to be held in the month of December next for a transfer to Jean Coigdarripe of the license now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Colonist Hotel, situate at the corner of Beacon Hill Park and Simcoe street in the city of Victoria.

Dated this 24th day of August, 1894.

a7-1m CHAS. MURISET.

NOTICE.

Re Estate of Peter Gerard, Deceased.

All persons having claims against Peter Gerard, late of the city of Victoria, deceased, are hereby required to send or deliver to the undersigned full particulars of their claims on or before the 7th day of December, 1894, after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the testator, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

H. G. HALL,
12 Bastion Square, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Executors.

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 7th, 1894. a7-1m

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that it is my intention to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria at its setting to be held in the month of December next for a transfer to Henry Morris of the license now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Colonist Hotel, situate at the corner of Beacon Hill Park and Simcoe street, in the city of Victoria.

Dated this 1st day of October, 1894.

a7-1m J. COIGDARRIPE.

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SIDNEY LOBB IS FREE.

Jury at Westminster Find Him Not Guilty of Crime Charged Against Him.

Mrs. Cox Dies From Effect of Criminal Neglect on Her Husband's Part.

New Westminster, B.C., Nov. 14.—The trial of Sidney Lobb, of Nanaimo, for the murder of his wife was concluded today, and Lobb is a free man again. All the evidence was in last evening and addresses were made to the jury by the defence and the crown. Judge Bole charged the jury this morning, speaking for over an hour, his remarks being very impartial. It was pointed out that there was no direct evidence that Lobb shot his wife, while on the other hand the contention of the defence that Mrs. Lobb took her own life was no better proved. It was a case of unusual difficulty. The jury were out ten minutes and returned with a verdict of not guilty. Lobb was thereupon discharged and had to be assisted from the dock, being in a state of almost complete collapse. The strain of the five days' trial was a terrible one to his nervous system.

Mrs. Marcus Cox, of Mission, died at St. Mary's hospital this morning from the effects of criminal neglect on the part of her husband. She was brought to this city some weeks ago all but dead from starvation and partially eaten by vermin, and no efforts on the part of the doctors could bring her around. An inquest will be held. The husband is under arrest.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Arranging for Candidates for the Mayor's Chair.

Nanaimo, Nov. 14.—Mr. Donald J. McDonald of Victoria had a narrow escape from drowning while fishing off Protection Island yesterday morning. McDonald hired a sail boat for the purpose of trawling for salmon which are plentiful off the island, and while in the act of hoisting the sail a strong puff of wind filled the sail and capsized the boat. The accident happened close to shore, and more fortunate still, was seen by a gentleman named Bale, who on seeing the danger went to McDonald's rescue. Bale being a good swimmer, soon succeeded in reaching the boat, and after considerable difficulty, succeeded in bringing McDonald back to terra firma. Both men were considerably exhausted, but after a short rest recovered.

The casket, containing the remains of the late Alexander Meyer, was conveyed to the depot this morning to be taken to Victoria en route for Portland. The remains were followed by the members of Ashlar and Doric lodges A. F. and A. M.

Bishop Perrin formally opened the bazaar in the opera house this afternoon, given under the auspices of St. Alban's church. The affair is a great success and the effect of the stall arrangement is very pretty. A varied stock of fancy work of every description, also ornamental articles, pottery, flowers, paintings and confectionery offer every inducement to purchasers. This evening a musical programme of a high order will be rendered and will be followed by a dance.

After the 15th of the present month the C. P. R. will not keep their office in the city open after 8 p.m. It is intimated that the present amount of business does not justify the company in keeping open till ten o'clock.

In the coming municipal election the Reform club intend to contest the civic chair. Dr. McKechnie has been approached by the temperance party, but if the gentleman brought out by the Reform Club is satisfactory, he has intimated that he will decline the nomination. Ald. Arthur Wilson will probably be the choice of the club, and if he can be induced to accept the nomination the contest will be a keen one.

VANCOUVER ASSIZES.

Murderer of Farmer McCrorie Sentenced to 20 Years.

Vancouver, Nov. 14.—Aleck, the Indian who killed farmer McCrorie at North Vancouver, was yesterday sentenced to 20 years by Justice Drake, the jury having found him guilty of manslaughter.

The charge against Mr. Boultbee of misappropriating funds was dismissed, Justice Drake so directing the jury. He said it was not a criminal matter but a case of accounts between Boultbee and others.

J. E. Burke pleaded guilty to burglary and was sentenced to six months. The jury brought in no bill in the case of McNally, charged with shooting at Slater with intent.

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THE OPIUM TRADE ENDORSED.

The Board of Trade Council Pass an Extraordinary Resolution.

Our reporter's account of the meeting of the council of the board of trade, published yesterday, was incomplete, inasmuch as no reference was made to the debate and resolution on the local opium trade, which was the result of a letter received from McPhillips, Wootton and Barnard. As the action of the council is one of the gravest public importance, the facts of the case should be laid before the people, as they are the best judges of the desirability of encouraging a traffic of doubtful utility. The following is the letter to which reference has been made:

To the President and Council of the Board of Trade:

Sirs,—On behalf of the Chinese opium refiners of the province, we have the honor to request that the seal of the board of trade may be affixed to a communication to the Hon. the Minister of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, asking that the leaves and rubbish lying between the outer shell, or covering, in which the opium is packed, and the crude opium, may be allowed for as tare, and the duty of $1 per pound, now charged on same, be levied only on the opium itself. The communication referred to has already been signed by the managers and agents of the several steamship and railway companies having offices in the city, as well as by a number of merchants. The petition is now in our hands. Anticipating your kind consideration in this matter, we are, yours obediently,

M'PHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD.

A long discussion ensued, Messrs. Connon, Todd and others taking the view that to accede to the request would be in the interest of trade and hence in the interest of the city. It was stated that the opium manufacturers would be in a position to continue in the business on an extensive scale, if the duty was thus regulated, and thereby the carrying trade and general prosperity of the city would be benefitted. Messrs. Leiser, Bostock and Futcher held that the business was a demoralizing one and that the council should do nothing to encourage its continuance. The question was finally disposed of by the adoption of the following resolution on a vote of six to three:

Moved by H. E. Connon, seconded by J. H. Todd, that the board of trade recommend the petition to the Dominion government that the refuse attached to the balls of opium be exempt from duty, the same as the shell covers.

Here the matter rests at present. The members of the commons will be requested to use their influence with the government in the direction mentioned, and it will thus go abroad that Victoria is in favor of the traffic in opium. The Times believes that such a conclusion, although in a measure justifiable under the circumstances, will be entirely erroneous. The traffic only tends to immorality and commercial dishonesty.

NICOLA FARMERS HUMBUGGED.

Disappointment Caused by the Failure to Build the Railway.

Mr. Wm. Pooley arrived down from Nicola on Friday with two car loads of fat beeves for the coast markets. He is one of the largest cattle raisers in Nicola valley, and brings a good report from that district. Cattle are in good condition, fodder is plentiful all through the valley, and no trouble is expected in putting the cattle through the winter in fine shape. Fodder, in fact, has not been so plentiful in years. The farmers have a great quantity of vegetables and much poultry for sale, but have no market. The positive assurance given last spring that the Spence's Bridge & Nicola railway would surely be built this summer misled the farmers of Nicola to such an extent that they entered extensively into growing potatoes and other roots for the coast markets, and now, after going to great expense, they have on hand immense quantities of stuff which they can do absolutely nothing with—and further than turning the first sod nothing has been done to build the railway. The Pooley Bros. have 1,700 sacks of potatoes, another rancher 800 sacks, and others from 200 to 500 sacks, the whole aggregating several thousand sacks, which will have to be fed to swine and cattle. More than this, it was reported by the railway promoters that much lumber would be required by the company, and a number of farmers clubbed together and went into debt to get out 400,000 feet of sawn lumber, which is still on their hands—and no sign of the railway.—Columbian.

Dress Goods, Bankrupt Stock

Of double width dress goods from ten cents per yard at Russell & McDonald's.

Budd's Plurality Increased.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—Official returns from the country received up to noon to-day make no material difference in the vote for governor. Mr. Budd's plurality has been increased and indications at present point to his election by between 1200 and 1500 votes.

Use Gibbon's Tootuche gum, sold druggists.

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

The Events of the Day Among Amateurs and Professionals.

THE CUE.

IVES AND SCHAEFER.

New York, Nov. 12.—The six-day billiard match between Jacob Schaefer and Frank Ives began to-night at Madison Square Garden concert hall. The match is for $5000, 14-inch balk line, the anchor nurse being barred. The game is one of 3000 points, 600 points being played each night. Captain Anson, of the Chicago baseball club, was referee. Schaefer won the break and opened his first attempt for a carrom. Ives started in with some bright playing, and put up a score of 30. Schaefer then began to play, and at 51 a brilliant carrom off three cushions gave him a round of applause. He continued the score until he had rolled up 106 points. Ives got to work again, and after scoring 25, he gave way to the Wizard. At the end of the eighth inning the score stood: Ives, 170; Schaefer, 164. Jake jumped into the lead with 37. It was here that Ives made a good run. After he had scored about 50 he began to play balk-line nurses. Honors were about even then, until Ives got his total up to 568. The Wizard, finding them to his liking, did not stop counting until he had scored 129, which ended the night's play. Score: Shaefer, 600, average, 35 8-17; Ives, 568, average, 35 8-16.

BLOOD TURNED TO WATER.

The Result is Dizziness, Fainting Spells and Loss of Energy—How to Regain Health and Strength.

To those of an observant nature it must be painfully apparent that a large percentage of the young ladies of to-day are far from the enjoyment of good health. Their pallid faces and listless demeanor bespeak an early breakdown if prompt measures are not taken to restore the wasted energies. A case in point is that of Miss Imerson, of Greenwood, Ont. The mother of the young lady says:—"My daughter was in poor health for two years, and we spent a good many dollars in doctoring with but very little good. Our family doctor said she was badly run down and that her blood had turned to water. She suffered from severe headaches, loss of appetite, and her lungs pained her so much at times that it caused her to faint. We were advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I am thankful to say that after the use of nine boxes she has entirely regained her health and is as strong as any in the family. Others in our household have also used Pink Pills with the same good results, and I strongly recommend them to all that are ailing." A serious responsibility devolves on mothers and they will do well to heed the advice contained in Mrs. Imerson's statements if their daughters are weak, pallid, easily tired or subject to heart palpitation. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have a more potent influence on the blood and nerves than any other known medicine, and speedily restore the blood of health to pallid cheeks. Pink Pills cure when all other medicines fail. Sold by all dealers or sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont., or Schenectady, N. Y. Refuse all substitutes alleged to be just as good.

Brief Locals.

—For weeks the contractors on the sewers have been nightly robbed of pieces of lumber, lamps, etc. M. A. Eck was arrested this afternoon, and will likely tell of the whereabouts of some of the booty. It is suspected that he is one of the thieves. The case will come up in the police court Thursday morning.

Little Beginnings.

The steam which raised the lid of the kettle led a philosophic mind to utilize it for man's benefit. No one dreamed that we should now be dragged along by it at the rate of sixty miles an hour. When Perry Davis made a preparation for the medicinal use of his family, over fifty years ago, neither he nor any man imagined that it would now be sold in every land, and prove to be the PAIN KILLER of the world. The big new bottle, old price 25c.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—V W Mitchell, C J Carr, Geo Wills, Mrs Wills, Jas Wright, Mr McCulloch.

Per City of Puebla from San Francisco—Rev H. Emmenclep, A E Wicker, A P Miller and wife, M Gartenberg, F D McKenzie, Wm Reid, Mrs M Christensen, and Miss N Powell.

Per City of Seattle from the Sound—C Scott, Of L Gulliams, A J Johnson, T Hutchinson, J Bart, W B Thompson, A Browning, A Moyer, E Greenleaf, J Wood, Mrs. Roojen, C A Hooper, J Moyer, S Morris, J Miller, Mrs Sutcliffe, C Abrams, G Cadis.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—D Holden, Colonist Print Co, Jas Wright, W P Sayward, Vale & Brooks, G Braudt & Co, Jno Wilson, Ross & Co, Perry & T.

Per City of Puebla from San Francisco—Albion Iron Wks, A & W Wilson, A McGregor & Son, Brackman & Ker M Co, D H Ross & Co, E G Prior & Co, Erskine Wall & Co., Fell & Co, Fow Yuen, H Short & Son, J & A Clearihue, J D Montgomery, J Barnsley & Co, Langley & Co, Lens & Leiser, Lai Wah, Matthews B & T, M Christensen, P McQuade & Son, Perry & Turner, R P Rithet & Co, Shawnigan Lumber Co., Ltd, Speed Bros, Vale & Brooks, Wilson Bros, A Baker & Son, Wilson Bros, C W Henry, E Quennell, Mahrer & Co, Mrs E F Pierce, Nanaimo Equitable Pioneer S, Mrs Christen, McMillan & H, Winch & Bower, C S Philp, Wells Fargo & Co.

Per steamer City of Seattle from the Sound—Fell & Co, H Proctor, B & K, H Saunders, C P N Co, P McQuade & Co, E B Marvin & Co, J P & Co, M N Co, E T Hull, Langley & Co, Taylor Mill Co, J B W Louis, J C Cranston, B B Marvin & Co, M Nicholles.

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White Star Line, Majestic	Dec. 5
American Line, Paris	Nov. 28
American Line, Berlin	Dec. 5
North Ger. Lloyd, Spree	Nov. 27
North Ger. Lloyd, Lahn	Dec. 4
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Red Star Line, Rhyoland	Nov. 28
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Allan State Line, Nebraska	Nov. 22
Allan State Line, California	Dec. 6

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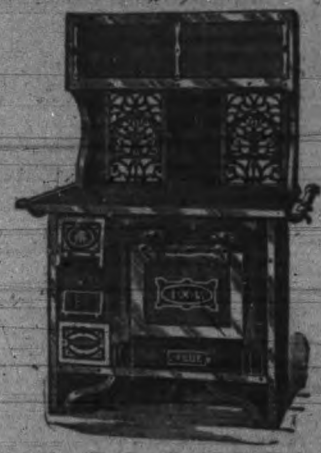

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